

M--Sources Sought-Warehousing & Distribution Services At Defense Distribution Depot Richmond, VA (DDRV)

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Description

This is a Sources Sought Synopsis. The Defense Logistics Agency (DLA) is seeking an Expression of Interest (EOI) from prospective contractors or other concerned individuals or organizations who may be interested in participating in the A-76 Study for the Defense Distribution Depot Richmond, Virginia (DDRV) guided by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular No. A-76. This synopsis neither constitutes a Request for Proposal, nor does it restrict the Government to an ultimate acquisition approach. This synopsis should not be construed as a commitment by the Government for any other purpose. The DLA is a U.S. Department of Defense (DoD) agency that provides focused logistics support to America's Armed Forces around the world. In support of DLA's mission, the Defense Distribution Center (DDC) is a combat support organization, providing a single, unified material distribution system for DoD under DLA management. The DDC mission is to provide an integrated pipeline that sustains our Armed Forces around the world with innovative and tailored logistics services that are ever improving in terms of cost, timeliness and relative value. The DDRV distribution services include the planning, programming, and management necessary to execute the following in an efficient and effective manner: receiving, storage, inventory, packaging, Care of Supplies in Storage (COSIS), stock control, selection, issue processing, packing, and shipping of repair parts/secondary items in support of worldwide customers. The service provider will be required to provide the leadership and management expertise necessary and appropriate to manage and operate the DDRV and to accomplish all functions contained in the Performance Work Statement (PWS). DDRV is collocated with the Defense Supply Center Richmond, Virginia (DSCR) and encompasses approximately six million square feet of uncovered and covered storage areas. DDRV is a primary DLA distribution center for HAZMAT and has the Department of Defense (DoD) assigned responsibility for maintaining the Defense Reserve of Ozone Depleting Substances (ODS). DDRV has a large compressed gas cylinder refurbishment operation that is

tied to the ODS operation, and includes both ODS and non-ODS cylinders. The ODS reclamation and cylinder refurbishment functions are not included in the scope of these PWS requirements although the Service Provider will support these functions by performing receipt, storage, and issue of all compressed gas cylinders. The annual baseline cost is approximately \$ 24 million. DLA will issue the Request for Proposals (RFP) for this acquisition on April 1, 2005. The NAICS code for this action is 493110 and the small business size standard is total annual receipts of less than \$21.5 million. DLA's competitive sourcing process will examine the financial impact of providing the services in-house or by contract. The examination is conducted in accordance with the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Circular No. A-76. The A-76 guidelines encourage competition and provide a level playing field between public and private offerors. The website for the dissemination of information is <http://www.supply.dla.mil/A76/DDR.V.asp>. This website will be the principal distribution medium for notices, changes, questions, or any other pertinent information related to the RFP. It is strongly advised that interested offerors check this website frequently for updates. Prospective offerors desiring to be added to the bidders' list are requested to submit an EOI that identifies the prospective offeror (business/organization name, business size, point of contact, email address, and telephone number.) Submit your EOI to the POC identified below on or before March 15, 2005. Point of Contact Douglas Dapo, Contract Specialist, Phone 614-692-2258, Fax 614-692-6273, Email: Defense_Depots@dscc.dla.mil

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